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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: ENRG, WB, UR
SUBJECT: POSSIBLE DELIVERIES OF SOVIET NATURAL GAS
TO WEST BERLIN

REF: BONN 3388

1. ACCORDING TO AN ECONOMICS MINISTRY SOURCE, ECONOMICS MINISTER FRIDERICHS RAISED THE SUBJECT OF POSSIBLE DELIVERIES OF SOVIET NATURAL GAS TO WEST BERLIN WITH SOVIET DEPUTY MINISTER PRESIDENT NOVIKOW DURING HIS RECENT TRIP TO MOSCOW. NOVIKOW SAID THAT NEITHER HE NOR THE HEAD OF THE SOVIET ORGANIZATION GOSPLAN HAD EVER HEARD OF THIS PROPOSAL.
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2. OUR SOURCE SPECULATED THAT AMBASSADOR FALIN IN MENTIONING THIS SUBJECT TO CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT (BONN 792) WAS MERELY ATTEMPTING TO BREATHE SOME LIFE INTO A PROPOSAL WHICH HAD BEEN MADE EARLIER BUT WHICH HAD LAIN DORMANT FOR SOME TIME AND THAT HE WAS NOT ACTING UNDER ANY SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FROM MOSCOW. OUR SOURCE CONSIDERS THE PROPOSAL DEAD FOR ALL PRACTICAL PURPOSES.
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